The United States Attorney for the Western District of Michigan takes this opportunity to remind the bankruptcy bar that 11 U.S.C. 2002(j)(4) requires that the United States Attorney's Office be served with copies of notices (in addition to the notice sent to the federal agency) in cases where there is a debt to the United States, other than for taxes. This includes both notices of the initiation of cases and notices in all contested matters. The notices should be sent to:

United States Attorney's Office Bankruptcy Section P.O. Box 208 Grand Rapids, MI 49501-0208

Identification on the face of the notice of the federal agency involved would expedite the processing of the notices. Further, noticing the United States Attorney in cases involving taxes is encouraged. Donna Justice, Paralegal Specialist, is the contact person for all bankruptcy cases in the United States Attorney's Office. She may be reached at (616) 456-2404.

Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. 5003(e), the United States provides the following addresses for its agencies. Any special considerations are noted in parenthesis after the agency title.

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Office of Regional Counsel (329/02) 477 Michigan Avenue, Room 1460 Detroit, MI 48226

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (for facilities located in the States of Illinois, Attn: Roger Grimes (C-14J), Region V Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio and 77 W. Jackson Blvd. Wisconsin)
Chicago, IL 60604

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE (for Chapters 7, 12 and 13) Office of Special Procedures P.O. Box 330500, Stop 15 Detroit, MI 48232

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE (for Chapter 11)
Office of Special Procedures
678 Front Street, N.W.
Grand Rapids, MI 49504

PENSION BENEFIT AND GUARANTY CORPORATION 1200 K Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20005-4026

SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Office of District Counsel 515 Patrick V. McNamara Building Detroit, MI 48226

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

Great Lakes Program Services Center ATTN: OAS-10th Floor 600 West Madison Street Chicago, IL 60601

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

50 United Nations Plaza San Francisco, CA 94102

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS (for Federal criminal fines and restitution)

Attn: Mike Polkowski Financial Administrator 399 Ford Federal Building 110 Michigan Avenue, N.W. Grand Rapids, MI 49503

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING (all loans except Title 1)

AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

c/o Sheila Walker, Chief Counsel Legal Division, Room 1740

477 Michigan Avenue

Detroit, MI 48226

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING (Title1 - Home Improvement)

AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

c/o Donnette Paoletti

52 Corporate Circle

Albany, NY 12214-3109

USDA FARM SERVICE AGENCY (for all farm programs)

3001 Coolidge Road, Suite 100

East Lansing, MI 48823-6321

USDA RURAL HOUSING SERVICE (for Single Family Housing)

CSC, Risk Management Branch

P.O. Box 66879 St. Louis, MO 63166

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